

Hi Folks,

In case it interests you, I wanted to call your attention to a few of the new books in our collection with special themes or topics that may be useful in your teaching.

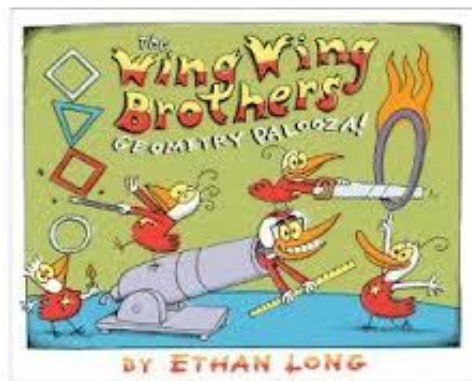
The attached file has these same descriptions plus images of the book covers.

Please email me if you would like to check one of these out right away, otherwise, at the end of Friday, they will go with the rest of the new arrivals on the top of the bookcase closest to the whiteboard in the library.

Best,
Rob

Non-Fiction

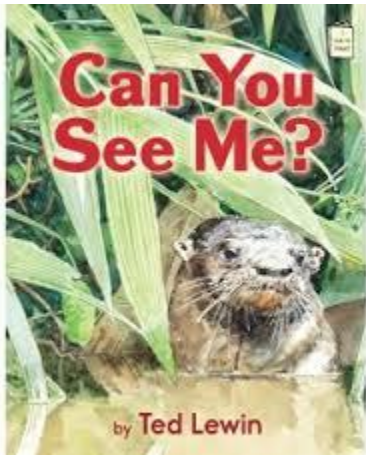
The Wing Wing Brothers: Geometry Palooza- Ethan Long (K-2)



Humorously covers the concepts of: Describing relative positions, composing simple shapes from larger shapes, and positioning rectangles into two and four equal shares.

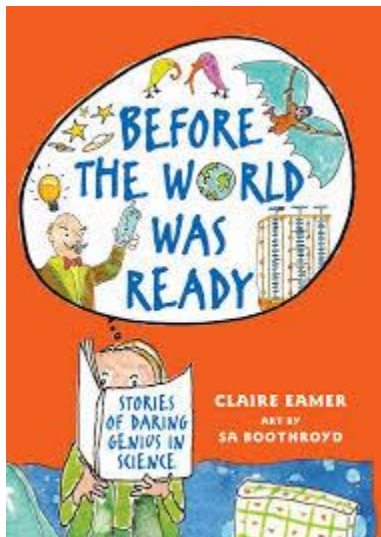
“This book meets the Common Core State Standards for kindergarten mathematics in Geometry: K.G.A.1 and K.G.B.6. It also meets the Common Core State Standards for first-grade mathematics in Geometry:1.G.1.3”

Can You See Me? –Ted Lewin (K-1)



Vibrant watercolor images and simple text present the concept of camouflage to beginning readers.

Before the World Was Ready: Stories of Daring Genius in Science-Claire Eamer (3-4)

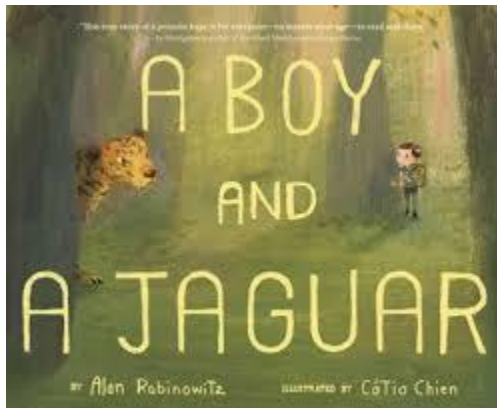


An entertaining and informative look at scientists and inventors whose ideas stirred the pot. Each chapter serves as a mini-

biography and exploration discussing: Nicolaus Copernicus-Solar System, Wegener-Continental Drift, Semmelweis—Germs & Washing Hands, Darwin, Sir George Cayley-Human Flight, Nikola Tesla—Electricity, Charles Babbage—Mechanized Calculation Machine, Rachel Carson—Exposing the Consequences of DDT

Picture Books

A Boy and A Jaguar—Alan Rabinowitz (1-4)



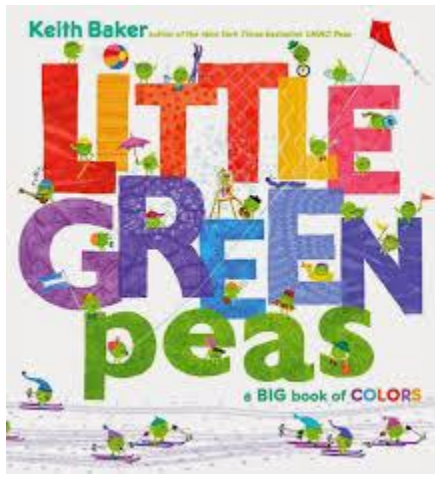
Based on the author's true experiences as a boy growing up feeling "broken" because he was a stutterer. He found an escape in talking to animals and went on to speak up for the preservation of jaguars in Central America, as well as being a spokesperson for the Stuttering Foundation of America. Lots of great IB content here.

Bad Bye, Good Bye-Deborah Underwood (K-2)



Very simple text and unique illustrations convey the story of a boy dealing with the tough transition of moving.

Little Green Peas: A Big Book of Colors—Keith Baker (K-1)



Continuing with the playful and vibrant illustrations of the Little Green Peas counting and alphabet books, this edition introduces colors.